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TREASURER'S REPORT

OF THE

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES;

ALSO

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' REPORT

UPON THE AFFAIRS;

OF THE

COUNTY OF BERKSHIRE.

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1899.

(ACTS OF 1897, CHAP. 153, SEC. 3, 4, AND 5.)

PITTSFIELD, MASS.
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TREASURER'S REPORT.

RECEIPTS.

Balance in the Treasury January 1, 1899, viz:—

County Account,	$20,097 43	
Dog Fund,	8,295 44	
		$28,392 87

COUNTY TAX OF 1899.

From Adams,	$ 8,874 94	
Alford,	357 04	
Becket,	867 10	
Cheshire,	1,377 15	
Clarksburg,	510 05	
Dalton,	5,508 58	
Egremont,	867 09	
Florida,	306 03	
Great Barrington,	7,089 75	
Hancock,	612 06	
Hinsdale,	1,326 14	
Lanesborough,	867 09	
Lee,	3,468 37	
Lenox,	6,528 69	
Monterey,	459 05	
Mount Washington,	153 02	
New Ashford,	102 01	
New Marlborough,	1,020 11	
North Adams,	17,698 87	
Otis,	408 04	
Peru,	204 02	
Pittsfield,	28,614 03	
Richmond,	612 06	
Sandisfield,	663 07	
Savoy,	306 03	
Sheffield,	1,683 18	
Stockbridge,	6,222 66	
Tyringham,	408 04	
Washington,	408 04	
West Stockbridge,	918 10	
Williamstown,	5,202 55	
Windsor,	357 04	
		104,000 00
Amount carried forward,		$132,392 87

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Amount brought forward,			$132,392 87
LOANS.			
Permanent.			
Salem Savings Bank, old County debt, 5% refunded at 3%,		$35,000 00	
Temporary.			
Berkshire Life Ins. Co., Demand notes,		27,000 00	
			62,000 00
INTEREST.			
Agricultural National Bank,		63 17	
Pittsfield " "		109 49	
Third " "		104 12	
Berkshire Loan & Trust Co.,		40 96	
			317 74
FINES, COSTS AND FEES,			
Superior Court.			
C. W. Fuller Sheriff, Jan'y. Sitting,	$145 00		
July "	142 55		
		287 55	
F. H. Cande, Clerk, Com. v. Rondeau,	200 00		
" " Parsons & al,	50 00		
" " Noel,	10 00		
" " Follett,	10 00		
" " Greenwood,	108 76		
" " Ferris & al,	108 15		
" " Connelly,	25 00		
" " Flumer & al,	5 41		
" " Roberts & al,	11 50		
" " Howard,	50 00		
" " Johnson,	25 00		
		603 82	
C. L. Frink, Dep. Sh'ff, Com. v. Haggerty & al,		22 49	
District and Police Courts,			
Edwin B. Cady, Clerk Dist. Court, No. Berk.,	421 00		
Walter B. Smith, Clerk Dist. Court, Cen. Berk.,	603 70		
D. J. Coleman, Clerk Dist. Court, So. Berk.,	200 17		
F. H. B. Munson, Clerk 4th Dist. Ct.,	133 75		
S. G. Tenney, Just. Williamstown Police Court,	19 75		
P. H. Casey, Just. Lee Police Court,	104 56		
		1,482 93	
House of Correction.			
C. W. Fuller, master,		84 80	
			2,481 59
CLERK OF THE COURTS. Fees.			
Frank H. Cande, Clerk,			1,183 30
REGISTERS OF DEEDS. Fees.			
Arthur W. Safford, Register North Dist.,		2,084 60	
Henry M. Pitt, " Middle "		1,610 45	
Malcolm Douglas, " South "		695 55	
			4,390 60
Amount carried forward,			$202,766 10

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Amount brought forward,		$202,766 10
NATURALIZATION.		
Edwin B. Cady, Clerk Dist. Ct. No. Berk.,	$ 215 00	
Walter B. Smith, " " " Cen. "	220 00	
D. J. Coleman, " " " So. "	27 00	
F. H. B. Munson, " Fourth Dist. Court,	96 00	
		558 00
HOUSE OF CORRECTION.		
C. W. Fuller, Master, Board of Prisoners,	173 30	
Sundries,	3 91	
		177 21
HOUSE OF CORRECTION. Heel Shop.		
C. W. Fuller, Master, for goods sold,		12,161 98
HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.		
Selectmen of Gt. Barrington, Pet'r,	66 55	
Hoosac Valley St. R. R. Co., "	92 80	
Selectmen of Sandisfield, "	20 40	
Selectmen of Lenox, "	43 40	
Henry W. Soule & al, "	32 60	
Bowe Granite Co., "	23 13	
		278 88
TRUANT SCHOOL.		
Sale of Truant School property in Becket,	950 00	
City of North Adams, board of Truants,	329 00	
City of Pittsfield, " " "	286 00	
		1,565 00
PEDLERS' LICENSES.		
Austin E. Hatch,	3 00	
Julius G. White,	3 00	
John J Delaney,	3 00	
Louis Wool,	3 00	
James J. Maloney,	3 00	
Farady Joseph,	3 00	
Geo. S. Bordeleau,	3 00	
Mike Lightman,	3 00	
Benj. S. Barbour,	3 00	
Edward E. Lloyd,	3 00	
John William Connor,	3 00	
William R. Vadakin,	3 00	
Thomas B. Crosby,	3 00	
Lewis Strauss,	3 00	
Robert Walton,	3 00	
Charles A. Squire,	3 00	
Michael A. Julian,	3 00	
James A. Sloan,	3 00	
Ike Minsky,	3 00	
C. S. Twing,	3 00	
Louis Holeburg,	3 00	
L. F. Glentz,	3 00	
James H. Merrill,	3 00	
John R. Rowland,	3 00	
Henry Murray,	3 00	
William F. Beebe,	3 00	
Amounts carried forward,	78 00	$217,507 17

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Amounts brought forward,	$ 78 00	$217,507 17
John J. Savage,	3 00	
Sam Weingert,	3 00	
Max Stein,	3 00	
Barnet Lightman,	3 00	
Charles Goodrich,	3 00	
Everett W. Taylor,	3 00	
Harman Bilenky,	3.00	
		99 00

MISCELLANEOUS.

Premium on loan to refund Old County debt,	12 95

DOG LICENSES.

Adams,	666 60	
Alford,	58 20	
Becket,	162 00	
Cheshire,	181 20	
Clarksburg,	120 00	
Dalton,	355 20	
Egremont,	103 80	
Florida,	80 40	
Great Barrington,	602 20	
Hancock,	87 60	
Hinsdale,	208 20	
Lanesboro,	154 20	
Lee,	401 20	
Lenox,	392 00	
Monterey,	62 40	
Mount Washington,	30 00	
New Ashford,	39 00	
New Marlborough,	237 60	
North Adams,	1,247 40	
Otis,	101 40	
Peru,	66 00	
Pittsfield,	1,912 80	
Richmond,	88 80	
Sandisfield,	150 00	
Savoy,	121 20	
Sheffield,	327 00	
Stockbridge,	302 40	
Tyringham,	64 20	
Washington,	89 40	
West Stockbridge,	190 20	
Williamstown,	452 40	
Windsor,	106 20	
	9,161 20	
Wm. Mahanna, damage to sheep by dog,	35 00	
		9,196 20
		$226,815 32

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EXPENDITURES.

INTEREST.

North Adams Savings Bank,	$ 2,400 00	
Berkshire Life Insurance Co.,	1,272 10	
Salem Savings Bank,	700 00	
Commonwealth of Massachusetts,	600 00	
Chicopee Savings Bank,	200 00	
Berkshire County Savings Bank,	175 00	
		$ 5,347 10

DEBTS AND LOANS.

Berkshire Life Insurance Co., Old County Debt, due Feb. 1, '99,	35,000 00	
Salem Savings Bank, note due, Nov. 1, 1899,	10,000 00	
Berkshire Life Ins. Co., Temporary loan,	27,000 00	
		72,000 00

SALARIES OF COUNTY OFFICERS FIXED BY LAW.

Frank H. Cande, Clerk of the Courts,	2,800 00	
Charles W. Fuller, Sheriff,	1,600 00	
William P. Wood, Co. Com.	700 00	
William C. Dalzell, " "	700 00	
James H. Flagg, " " to Sept. 18,	501 60	
Arthur W. Safford, Reg. Deeds, No. Dist.,	1,500 00	
Henry M. Pitt, " " Mid. "	1,500 00	
Malcolm Douglas, " " So. "	600 00	
George H. Tucker, County Treasurer,	1,500 00	
Henry C. Phelps, Spec'l Co. Com.,	30 00	
Stephen A. Hickox, " " "	20 00	
		11,451 60

CLERICAL ASSISTANCE IN COUNTY OFFICES.

Charles W. Strong, Clerk's Office,	1,050 00	
Annie L. Marsh, Reg. Deeds No. Dist.,	323 55	
Edna Safford, " " " "	9 60	
Edith Simmons, " " " "	7 35	
Geo. B. Halloran, " " Mid. "	182 20	
Lydia S. Stone, " " So. "	312 00	
Annie L. Marsh, Indexing No. Berk. Reg.,	47 85	
Edna Safford " " " "	59 40	
Abby A. Snow, " " " "	28 65	
Henry M. Pitt, " Mid. " "	181 40	
Geo. B. Halloran, " " " "	367 40	
John G. Orr, " " " "	129 00	
		2,698 40
Amount carried forward,		$91,497 10

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Amount brought forward,		$91,497 10

SALARIES AND EXPENSES, DISTRICT AND POLICE COURTS.

District Court, Northern Berkshire.

C. T. Phelps, Justice,		1,800 00
W. H. Woodhead, Special Justice,		148 49
E. B. Cady, Clerk,		1,000 00
J. T. Potter, " pro tem,		43 50
C. L. Frink, Probt. Officer,		600 00
City of North Adams, rent,		900 00
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone,		53 11
Transcript Pub. Co., printing, etc.,		33 25
Walden & Crawley, " "		27 50
Sun Printing Co., " "		27 25
H. T. Oatman, stenographer,		21 33
E. B. Cady, supplies,		15 45
Little, Brown & Co., law books,		11 10
Gilbert Maxwell, furniture,		8 50
United T. W. & Supply Co., stationery, etc.,		8 20
Advance Job Print Works, printing, etc.,		7 50
H. S. Lyon, insurance,		7 50
A. W. Hardman, printing,		2 50
Jas. T. Larkin, supplies,		2 50
E. B. Cady, clerk, Requisition, witness fees,		600 00
		5,317 68

District Court, Central Berkshire.

Joseph Tucker, Justice,	2,000 00	
H. B. Wellington, Spl. Justice,	53 32	
C. L. Hibbard, " "	44 00	
W. B. Smith, Clerk,	1,000 00	
C. T. Plunkett, Pr. Officer, 6 mos.,	360 00	
A. S. Prout, " " 4½ "	270 00	
Sun Printing Co., printing, etc.,	56 25	
Eagle Pub. Co., " "	37 25	
H. C. Kells, " "	15 00	
M. R. Warren, cash book,	12 50	
Little Brown & Co., law books,	12 00	
Boston Book Co., " "	3 00	
H. T. Oatman, stenographer,	10 29	
Pitts'd Journal Co., printing, etc.,	4 00	
W. B. Smith, supplies,	3 40	
Geo. Blatchford, supplies,	60	
C. W. Goodrich, issuing warrants,	35 00	
W. B. Smith, clerk, Req., wit. fees,	314 79	
		4,231 40

District Court, Southern Berkshire.

W. B. Sanford, Justice,	1,200 00		
J. H. Rowley, Spl. Justice 2 yrs.,	198 90		
D. J. Coleman, clerk,	700 00		
Henry Fay, clerk pro tem.,	51 29		
W. W. Langdon, Pro. Officer,	350 00		
D. J. Coleman, supplies,	54 75		
Frederick Viscardi, repairs,	60 00		
Amounts car'd forward,	$2,614 94	$9,549 08	$91,497 10

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Amts brought forward,	$2,614 94	$9,549 08	$91,497 10
Gt. Barrington Elec. Lt. Co., light,	42 00		
Berkshire Courier, printing, etc.,	41 00		
Foote-Nodine Co, " "	21 15		
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., tel'ph,	32 15		
Parish & Tuttle Co., repairs,	13 58		
Eagle Pub. Co., printing, etc.,	12 50		
Sun Printing Co., " "	6 25		
J. W. Morgan, stationery, etc.,	10 69		
I. R. Prindle, supplies,	10 00		
Burget, Lewis & Co., supplies,	1 25		
Berkshire Store, matting,	8 45		
E. B. Culver, repairs,	75		
W. H. Dresser, issuing warrants,	26 00		
A. C. Lockwood, " "	8 00		
H. S. Manley, " "	3 00		
D. J. Coleman, cl'k, Req., wit. fees,	300 00		
		3,151 71	

Fourth District Court.

N. H. Bixby, Justice,	1,400 00		
H. L. Harrington, Spl Justice,	108 10		
F. H. B. Munson, clerk,	600 00		
W. S. Morton, clerk pro tem,	41 00		
Wm. O'Brien, Pro. Officer, 10 mos.,	300 00		
F. H. B. Munson, " " 2 "	60 00		
Boon Job Print, printing,	31 25		
Adams Gas Lt. Co., light,	11 75		
Miss E. L. Ingalls, stenographer,	11 63		
F. H. B. Munson, supplies,	6 72		
Little, Brown & Co., law books,	1 85		
F. H. B. Munson, Clerk Requi. wit. fees,	250 00		
		2,822 30	

Police Court, Williamstown.

S. G. Tenney, justice,	600 00		
Geo. H. Prindle, Prob. Officer,	100 00		
Keyes Danforth's est., rent,	150 00		
Mrs. W. C. Pike, care,	28 00		
Eagle Publishing Co., printing.	5 00		
Little, Brown & Co., law books,	1 85		
S. G. Tenney, supplies,	1 75		
G. W. Nichols, agent, ledger,	1 00		
S. G. Tenney. Just. Requi. wit. fees.	58 70		
		946 30	

Police Court, Lee.

P. H. Casey, Justice,	1,000 00		
H. C. Phelps, Special Justice,	96 44		
J. J. Waddock, Prob. Officer,	350 00		
Little, Brown & Co., Mass. reports,	185 75		
W. G. Burt, rent,	175 00		
P. H. Casey, care, supplies, etc.,	142 22		
Lee Electric Light Co., light,	3 75		
P. H. Casey, Requi. wit. fees,	50 00		
		2,003 16	18,472 55
Amount carried forward,			$109,969 65

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Amount brought forward,			$109,969 65
CARE AND SUPPORT OF PRISONERS IN HOUSE OF CORRECTION, Pittsfield, Including Salaries.			
Provisions.			
E. P. Wood, meat,		1,784 46	
Berkshire Grocery Co., provisions,		1,087 40	
C. W. Fuller, am't paid for provisions as per vouchers,		779 45	
Bennett, Sloan & Co., provisions,		439 95	
A. M. Morrell, tea, coffee, etc.,		253 82	
Wm. S. Noble, milk,		239 50	
Frank L. Hale, potatoes and apples,		237 49	
John S. Wolfe Co., flour, etc.,		210 00	
City of Pittsfield, water rates,		140 23	
W. H. McCarey, potatoes,		84 00	
D. Rosenhein, coffee, etc.,		68 21	
McCormick & Joyce, provisions,		52 18	
Casey & Bacon, "		45 43	
Pease & Pratt, "		31 80	
J. Nagelschmidt, meat,		22 32	
W. P. Griffin, meal, etc.,		18 95	
Harvey C. Smith, codfish,		18 00	
W. B. Barton, vinegar,		10 92	
M. Diehl, pies,		6 75	
Central Market Co., provisions,		3 68	
		5,534 54	
Clothing.			
Mass. States Prison, shoes,	$365 45		
Kennedy & MacInnes, clothing,	142 54		
Mass. Reformatory, "	99 60		
J. R. Newman & Sons, "	42 15		
Monroe & Smith, "	39 75		
Reformatory Prison for Women, shirts, etc.,	38 08		
House of Cor. Suffolk Co., hose,	31 20		
John F. Murphy, shoes,	22 25		
Enright's, "	19 04		
City of Boston, overalls,	9 34		
Deer Island House of Correction, clothing,	9 34		
England Bros., clothing,	8 39		
Cullen Bros., "	5 14		
South Boston House of Correction, clothing,	3 25		
J. W. Whipple, Amts. paid as per vouchers,	8 00		
C. W. Fuller, Amts. paid as per vouchers,	7 00		
		850 52	
Beds and Bedding.			
Andrew Spaniol, straw,		10 00	
Instruction.			
Flora Coggswell, S. S. organist,	25 00		
Mass. Bible Society, Bibles,	9 00		
J. W. Whipple, paid for books, etc.,	5 00	39 00	
Amounts carried forward,		$6,434 06	$109,969 6,

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Amounts brought forward,		$6,434 06	$109,969 65
Fuel and Light.			
C. C. Gamwell, coal,	$1,006 06		
Tanner, Hamilton & Co., coal,	940 58		
Pittsfield Coal Gas Co., gas,	762 15		
Pittsfield Electric Co., light,	3 00		
Barker & Belden, oil,	1 60		
		$2,713 39	
Miscellaneous.			
C. W. Fuller. amts. pd. for misc. art.,	395 20		
J. W. Whipple, " " " " "	219 00		
City of Pittsfield, sidewalk tax and water,	169 34		
John Corkhill, misc. supplies,	135 90		
Butler Lumber Co., misc. supplies,	121 43		
John F. Collins, tobacco,	84 00		
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., tel. and mess.,	73 55		
Fisk Mfg. Co., soap,	66 66		
Howard & Morrow, supplies,	60 11		
F. F. Read, ice,	60 00		
F. S. Folwell, plants,	38 10		
Sanitas Co., creocide,	37 44		
Kennedy & MacInnes, supplies,	38 47		
Barker & Belden, "	27 89		
England Bros., "	26 97		
E. A. Hannum, cockroach powder,	25 00		
Sloper & May, insurance,	22 50		
Wellington & Crosier, coffin,	22 00		
P. C. Langdon, renovating,	15 65		
William Welch, supplies,	15 32		
Gale Lumber Co., "	15 04		
T. S. Buck, stamps,	14 95		
F. W. Dutton. Sal Soda, etc.,	12 59		
D. J. Sweet, flushing sewers,	12 09		
Z. A. Ward & Son, supplies,	10 06		
John Elser, trees,	10 00		
F. G. Guilds, street sprinkling,	10 00		
T. J. Healy, gravel,	9 60		
Eagle Publishing Co., printing,	9 05		
P. T. O'Connell, supplies,	9 00		
Bennett, Sloan & Co., tobacco,	7 75		
Talbot Bros., stationery,	6 30		
Dodge & Devanny, supplies,	5 10		
S. E. Robinson, tobacco,	4 32		
Pittsfield Electric Co., motor service,	3 00		
Sun Printing Co., printing,	1 25		
J. W. Whipple, amt. pd. to dis. pris.,	82 64		
		$1,877 27	
Medical Attendance and Medicines.			
Dr. S. C. Burton, medical attend.,	400 00		
C. H. Waite, medicines,	139 92		
J. H. Manning, "	49 53		
House of Mercy, hospital care,	25 00		
J. W. Whipple, amt. pd. pul'g. teeth and medicine,	17 00		
Dr. M. L. Woodruff, medical attend.,	1 50		
W. H. Currier & Co., medicines,	75	633 70	
Amounts carried forward,		$11,658 42	$109,969 65

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Amounts brought forward,		$11,658 42	$109,969 65
Salaries, (H. C.)			
C. W. Fuller, master,	$1,000 00		
J. W. Whipple, deputy master,	900 00		
J. F. Fuller, turnkey,	775 00		
F. P. Farrington, night officer,	773 16		
Mrs. Minnie J. Fuller, matron,	300 00		
John McDonald, fireman,	547 50		
J. W. Fuller, shop officer,	324 00		
J. W. Fuller, extra "	34 00		
J. W. Price, " "	192 00		
Benj. F. Smith, " "	67 50		
C. W. Fuller, board J. W. Whipple,	259 23		
" " " J. F. Fuller, 5 m.,	107 10		
" " custody of prisoners,	100 00	5,379 49	17,037 91
HEEL SHOP AT HOUSE OF CORRECTION.			
Materials, etc.			
Pittsfield Shoe Stock Co., stock,	$3,639 65		
Boston Counter Co., "	870 02		
T. F. Flannagan, "	434 85		
Milton Leather Board Co., "	366 59		
A. Holmes, "	299 15		
Green Bros., "	234 73		
Weber Bros., "	230 67		
Canedy-Clark Shoe Co., "	231 66		
N. C. Griffin, "	194 70		
Worcester Counter Co., "	183 00		
Shepard & Co., "	121 47		
Gardner, Beardsall & Co., "	112 19		
Heywood Boot & Shoe Co., "	92 65		
N. L. Millard & Co., "	89 08		
Geo. S. Hatch, "	84 25		
Locke & Knox, "	65 93		
Cloutman & Dunham, "	42 45		
C. T. Sampson Mfg. Co., "	64 87		
Wilkinson & Bliss, "	42 06		
Massachusetts Reformatory "	80 44		
Cutler, Lyons & Field, "	50 11		
John D. Young & Sons, "	22 50		
T. Calhan, "	22 40		
Fotterall, Barker & Brown Co. "	6 15		
N. B. Thayer & Co., "	12 16		
B. & A. R. R. Co., freight,	651 34		
C. W. Fuller, ctge.,	266 93		
E. M. Annis, expense,	314 67		
Robert Pierce, commissions,	80 07		
Geo. H. Ball, "	4 28		
Portsmouth Heel Co., freight,	1 19		
Berkshire Tack Co., nails,	103 39		
Williams Hardware Co., nails,	30 03		
Hardware Supply Co., "	16 10		
Wilson & Read, insurance,	10 00		
Jas. Eagen, barrels,	16 60		
McCormick & Joyce, barrels,	4 16		
Boston Branch, "	3 76		
Central Market Co., "	2 60		
Amounts carried forward,	$9,098 85		$127,007 56

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Amounts brought forward,	$9,098 85		$127,007 56
Albany Cash Grocery, bbls.,	2 08		
N. Y. Cash Grocery, "	2 16		
William O. Root, "	1 80		
Geo. B. Miranda, "	1 36		
J. M. Linnehan & Co., "	1 76		
Q. A. Town, supplies,	9 21		
F. W. Dutton, belt, oil, etc.,	4 58		
Sun Printing Co., note heads,	2 25		
Eagle Publ'g. Co., bill heads,	2 00		
C. S. Hutchinson, stat'y,	1 75		
E. E. Cleveland, "	75		
		$9,128 55	

Tools and Implements.

Jos. E. Knox & Co., dies,	$57 12		
A. M. Chapel, repairs,	41 23		
Mayer Bros., machine,	40 00		
D. Knox Sons Ma. Co., comp'r. pcs.,	22 80		
M. P. Lawton & Son, wood for mauls,	12 42		
Automatic Heel Mfg. Co., plates,	12 02		
John J. Adams, dies,	5 13		
F. W. Dutton, belt,	5 13		
Williams Hardware Co., emery wheel,	3 60		
Gale Lumber Co., wood for mauls,	2 05		
		201 50	

Salaries.

E. M. Annis, agent,	$2,020 00		
E. B. Tyler, instructor,	754 50		
J. W. Fuller, "	417 00		
J. W. Price, "	59 00		
		3,250 50	
			12,580 55

CRIMINAL COSTS IN SUPERIOR COURT.

Grand Jurors.

JANUARY AND JULY SITTINGS.

J. N. Sanderson,	$28 80		
Adelbert Tinney,	20 60		
Jas. W. Turner,	30 08		
Daniel F. Bucklin,	27 20		
M. J. Brookins,	25 60		
Thos. J. Kearin,	32 32		
Daniel Shepardson,	13 60		
Conrad Hines,	25 60		
Chas. A. Childs,	28 80		
John D. Cowhig,	26 24		
Frank E. Curtis,	30 40		
S. Smith Joy,	30 40		
Jas. A. Bradley,	30 40		
Ellsworth E. Crawley,	24 32		
Richard T. Lawless,	24 32		
Thomas Martin,	24 32		
John F. Cummings,	26 56		
Ralph L. Hurlburt,	35 52		
Geo. Theron Bradley,	27 84		
Patrick Keiley,	27 84		
Frank S. Young,	33 60		
J. A. Estes,	27 84		
		$602 20	
Amounts carried forward,		$602 20	$139,588 11

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Amounts brought forward,		$602 20	$139,588 11

Traverse Jurors.

JANUARY SITTING.

Albert Anthony,	$14 72	
Michael Gannon,	14 72	
Alexander Norton,	14 72	
Elmer D. Ballou,	14 72	
Almon J. Leonard,	13 76	
Harry A. Meacham,	12 80	
Chas. W. Read,	16 64	
Joseph C. Frein,	16 16	
Frank B. Almsted,	16 16	
Frank W. Thompson,	13 60	
James C. Smith,	12 80	
Geo. H. Heath,	13 76	
Chas. E. Carey,	13.44	
Bertram S. Haskins,	15 36	
Barney S. Kemp,	15 36	
Walter E. Chase,	15 52	
Wallace Kearns,	15 52	
Elias B. Palmer,	19 00	
Wm. E. Reid,	12 16	
John O'Connell,	12 16	
Frank X. Z. Poitras,	12 16	
Wm. P. Boden,	12 16	
Herbert C. Kells,	12 16	
Frank Barnes, Jr.,	13 92	
Henry C. Clark,	17 12	
Wm. A. Nettleton,	15 04	
Geo. R. Williams,	14 56	
C. Frank Towne,	16 00	
		406 20

Traverse Jurors.

JULY SITTING.

Alonzo M. Alderman,	18 40	
Archer H. Barber,	15 40	
Alden Cady,	15 20	
Robert G. Campbell,	15 84	
Wm. H. Carey,	13 60	
Geo. A. Carpenter,	14 88	
Geo. P. Carpenter,	19 36	
Elias T. Clark,	22 24	
Frank B. Ford,	23 00	
Wm. R. Gardener,	12 64	
Wm. T. Grant,	18 40	
Herbert W. Griffin,	12 64	
John A. Hynes,	18 40	
Chas. A. Jones,	17 44	
Clarence D. Mallery,	15 84	
Alfred S. Marshall,	12 96	
James A. McCann,	18 40	
Amounts carried forward,	$284 64	$1,008 40 $139,588 11

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Amounts brought forward	$284 64	$1,008 40	$139,588 11
Wm. T. Petherbridge,	12 64		
Jesse Prickett.	12 64		
Maurice J. Roach,	13 92		
Augustus Schnopp,	14 88		
Fred A. Secor,	15 20		
Joshua A. Sherman,	14 40		
Frank L. Snow,	16 80		
Daniel P. Thompson,	20 00		
M. D. E. Tower,	17 12		
John Viola,	20 32		
Erwin W. Wood,	15 20		
		457 76	

Attendance of Deputies, Chaplains, Etc.

JANUARY SITTING.

Orlando S. Fish, Deputy Sheriff,	$40 20		
George Wells, " "	40 20		
Oliver L. Wood, " "	20 10		
Edward L. Day, " "	43 40		
Charles L. Frink, " "	44 00		
Charles K. Williams, " "	46 00		
Rev. H. S. Johnson, Chaplain,	3 00		
Samuel Bridges, teams for grand jurors,	15 00		
Chas. W. Fuller, " " prisoners,	35 00		
The Wendell, meals for jurors,	9 75		
Charles W. Fuller, telegram,	50		
		297 15	

JULY SITTING.

George Wells, Deputy Sheriff,	$20 10		
Edward L. Day, " "	43 40		
Charles L. Frink, " "	44 80		
E. H. Pierce, " "	21 00		
Orlando S. Fish, " "	20 10		
Oliver L. Wood, " "	40 20		
Rev. W. L. Genzmer, Chaplain,	3 00		
The Wendell, meals for jurors,	19 50		
Samuel Bridges, teams for jurors,	15 00		
Chas. W. Fuller, " " prisoners,	42 00		
		269 10	

Constables' Fees on Venires.

JANUARY AND JULY SITTINGS.

J. H. Bacon,	$2 50		
E. E. Barnes,	8 85		
Richard Bossidy,	3 80		
J. A. Boughton,	6 20		
Jerome Brown,	1 90		
S. H. Bushnell,	5 25		
John B. Cardenell,	2 60		
W. M. Cooper,	4 00		
William J. Cross,	2 50		
C. H. Cutting,	6 80		
Amounts carried forward,	$44 40	$2,032 41	$139,588 11

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Amounts brought forward,	$44 40	$2,032 41	$139,588 11
E. L. Day,	6 30		
Thomas Dumphrey,	2 80		
J. A. Fairweather,	6 10		
H. Ward Ford,	3 80		
Orlando S. Fish,	5 05		
A. A. Grant,	3 65		
W. E. Harmon,	5 50		
W. S. Hathaway,	2 50		
King D. Keeler,	6 70		
Van Ness Mallory,	2 50		
P. J. McGill,	1 90		
Michael Navin, Jr.,	2 40		
Jarvis Norcutt,	4 20		
W. L. Page,	2 55		
H. L. Pease,	2 30		
E. H. Peirce,	2 10		
W. H. Sherrill,	3 65		
Patrick H. Smith,	8 50		
W. N. Tucker,	6 40		
Daniel L. Wood,	6 35		
Oliver L. Wood,	8 80		
		138 45	

Officers' Fees, Etc.

C. W. Fuller, tak. convicts to St. Prison,	245 68		
C. H. Cutting, Dep. Sh'ff. officers fees,	40 47		
C. L. Frink, " " "	37 89		
E. L. Day, " " "	27 85		
H. L. Gardner, " " "	24 30		
O. L. Wood, " " "	24 76		
E. H. Pierce, " " "	9 02		
F. H. Briggs, " " "	8 70		
Malcolm Douglass " " "	7 15		
Wm. O'Brien, " " "	6 40		
Geo. H. Cobb, " " "	2 74		
O. S. Fish, " " "	5 91		
B. F. Clark, " " "	2 40		
A. N. Church, " " "	1 85		
John Nicholson, Ch. Police " "	70 64		
C. A. Kendall, " Ex. Attg. Ct.,	29 90		
L. Pilon, " " " "	22 75		
Thomas Curran, " " " "	19 16		
M. H. Pease, expenses,	2 77		
John Coster, interpreter,	20 00		
Dr. S. C. Burton, Moseley case,	85 43		
Dr. E. B. Nims, " "	50 00		
C. E. Hibbard, " "	150 00		
Geo. C. Warner, " "	136 19		
E. M. Wood, ass'tg. Dist. Atty,	110 00		
F. H. Cande, " " "	100 00		
H. T. Oatman, stenographer,	75 00		
		1,316 96	
Witness Fees January and July Sittings,		1,670 40	
			5,158 22
Amount carried forward,			$144,746 33

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Amounts brought forward,			$144,746 33

CIVIL EXPENSES IN SUPREME AND SUPERIOR COURTS.

Jurors.

SUPERIOR COURT.

FEBRUARY SITTING.

John Knapton,	$34 80		
George Shand,	34 80		
Joseph A. Battles,	34 80		
Amos C. Brainard,	39 60		
A. K. Cleveland,	32 24		
William C. Benton,	30 52		
William B. Bull,	28 92		
John B. Tubbs,	42 48		
Daniel H. Ackert,	33 40		
Joseph Goulait,	27 32		
Sanford A. Cook,	33 08		
Noble B. Turner,	33 72		
Frank Locke,	28 60		
Daniel J. Neyland,	26 00		
James Bird,	35 00		
George G. Peck,	41 52		
Thomas E. Hall,	18 64		
Michael Cavanaugh,	36 40		
Dennis J. Brown,	36 40		
Thomas K. Ladd,	36 40		
Lawrence Hughes.	15 32		
Edgar P. Booth,	30 64		
John Fahey,	27 64		
John F. Van Deusen,	30 64		
Henry B. Tower,	31 60		
John B. Scott,	33 84		
Lucien B. Moore,	35 12		
Charles E. Johnson,	21 64		
Benjamin F. Woodward,	3 16		
Willis D. Vandenburgh,	33 40		
		927 64	

JUNE SITTING.

Arthur B. Daniels,	5 40		
Robert N. Richmond,	13 80		
Henry M. Fern,	22 80		
John Leonard,	26 00		
John H. Winkle,	19 60		
George B. Benton,	19 28		
Lyman E. Ruberg,	38 40		
John J. Brown,	26 00		
George S. Day,	26 00		
Thomas F. Barker,	20 88		
Thomas J. Purcell,	21 84		
William C. Kirby,	20 56		
H. P. Fargo,	32 20		
Jacob H. Decker,	32 20		
William H. Geddis,	12 20		
Arthur J. Witherell,	24 40		
Amounts carried forward,	$361 56	$927 64	$144,746 33

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Amounts brought forward	$361 56	$927 94	$144,746 33
James K. Maloney, Jr.,	18 40		
John Mansfield,	6 20		
Samuel Woodhead,	24 40		
Joseph Robarge,	18 32		
John Leary,	18 32		
Franklin F. Read, Jr.,	18 32		
Robert B. Johnston,	18 32		
Lucien D. Hazard,	18 32		
Charles W. Booth,	18 32		
Patrick McGee,	18 32		
Carlton J. Sage,	34 32		
Wilfred P. Roys,	32 52		
Anson Buck,	23 44		
Michael T. Welch,	26 00		
Charles G. Sanford,	26 00		
		681 08	

OCTOBER SITTING.

Howard Chilson,	61 04		
William Mansert,	69 36		
Edwin Bunce,	70 20		
Daniel W. Bliss,	73 84		
Charles L. Comstock,	63 80		
Rufus Brett,	70 84		
Lorin P. Keyes,	77 88		
Daniel Eadie,	63 80		
Gideon B. Brainard,	63 80		
Clinton Q. Richmond,	30 60		
Alfred E. Haskins,	66 80		
Daniel N. Tuttle,	30 60		
Sumner C. Geer,	62 96		
Fred J. Strong,	54 64		
Robert A. Rice,	55 12		
Charles D. Beebe,	52 12		
John H. Kelman,	51 64		
Albert N. Parker,	55 12		
Franklin A. Smith,	55 12		
Edwin R. Burdick,	54 64		
George Cronk.	77 68		
Fred F. Hulett,	73 40		
Henry S. Dean,	61 88		
Edward F. Vaber,	61 88		
Dwight E. Ingalls,	68 92		
John Glennon,	54 20		
George R. Pike,	51 20		
George H. Walsh,	48 64		
Elbridge M. Annis,	48 64		
William Doran,	13 44		
		1,743 80	

Stenographer.

H. T. Oatman, Stenographer,		434 18	
Amounts carried forward,		$3,786 70	$144,746 33

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Amounts brought forward,		$3,786 70	$144,746 33

Attendance of Deputies, Chaplains, Etc.

SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT.

MAY SITTING.

George Wells, Deputy Sheriff,	5 10	
Orlando S. Fish, " "	5 10	
Oliver L. Wood, " "	5 10	
Rev. W. V. W. Davis, Chaplain,	3 00	
		18 30

SEPTEMBER SITTING.

George Wells, Deputy Sheriff,	5 10	
E. H. Peirce, " "	5 50	
Orlando S. Fish, " "	5 10	
Oliver L. Wood, " "	5 10	
Rev. W. V. W. Davis, Chaplain,	3 00	
		23 80

SUPERIOR COURT.

FEBRUARY SITTING.

George Wells, Deputy Sheriff,	65 30	
W. W. Norton, " "	72 50	
Orlando S. Fish, " "	65 30	
Oliver L. Wood, " "	65 30	
Rev. John W. Thompson, Chaplain,	3 00	
The Wendell, meals for jurors,	9 75	
Samuel Bridges, team for Court,	1 00	
		282 15

JUNE SITTING.

George Wells, Deputy Sheriff,	55 30	
E. H. Peirce, " "	51 50	
Orlando S. Fish, " "	50 30	
Oliver L. Wood, " "	30 20	
Rev. John M. Harris, Chaplain,	3 00	
The Wendell, meals for jurors,	9 75	
		200 05

OCTOBER SITTING.

George Wells, Deputy Sheriff,	105 50	
Orlando S. Fish, " "	105 50	
Robert M. Savery, " "	113 50	
Oliver L. Wood, " "	105 50	
Rev. W. L. Gensmer, Chaplain,	3 00	
The Wendell, meals for jurors,	19 50	
C. W. Fuller, pd. for telgr. for Ct.	25	
		452 75

Constables' Fees on Venires.

J. H. Bacon,	7 20		
E. E. Barnes,	8 85		
Richard Bossidy,	4 00		
Michael Cagney,	5 95		
John B. Cardenell,	2 80		
Edward H. Cassidy,	2 95		
Charles Crosier,	1 90		
C. H. Cutting.	5 85		
Edward L. Day,	6 30		
Amounts carried forward,	$45 80	$4,763 75	$144,746 33

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Amounts brought forward,	$45 80	$4,763 75	$144,746 33
Thomas Dumphrey,	6 90		
Orlando S. Fish,	8 45		
H. Ward Ford,	2 50		
John W. Gregory,	5 25		
W. E. Harmon,	3 00		
Charles H. Hathaway,	1 30		
H. J. Lane,	1 75		
Robert Lanfair,	3 80		
P. J. McGill,	4 05		
W. L. Page,	2 20		
E. H. Peirce,	10 50		
W. H. Sherrill,	2 10		
Patrick H. Smith,	22 50		
W. H. Snow,	5 10		
F. W. Stannard,	1 30		
Miles Tower,	3 85		
W. N. Tucker,	6 50		
John H. Wilcox,	2 50		
Oliver L. Wood,	13 55		
		152 90	
Sun Pr't'g Co., print'g ad'jt June sitting	4 25		
Eagle Pub. Co., " " " "	5 50		
Telegrams, " " "	4 50		
		14 25	
			4,930 90
TRIAL JUSTICES.			
Wm. C. Spaulding, fees,	39 50		
" " " requi. wit. fees,	81 40		
			120 90
TRANSPORTATION COUNTY AND SPECIAL COMMISSIONERS.			
Wm. C. Dalzell, Co. Comm'r,		62 48	
Wm. P. Wood, " "		25 98	
James H. Flagg, " "		10 30	
Stephen C. Hickox, Special Com'r,		10 50	
Henry C. Phelps, " "		6 60	
			115 86
MEDICAL EXAMINERS, INQUESTS AND COMMITMENT OF THE INSANE.			
Medical Examiners.			
Dr. O. J. Brown, medical exam. fees,		159 75	
Dr. W. P. Small, " " "		132 10	
Dr. F. K. Paddock, " " "		81 60	
Dr. C. C. Holcombe, " " "		52 20	
Dr. Henry Colt, " " "		116 60	
Dr. Homer Bushnell, " " "		15 60	
Dr. P. A. Holohan, wit. and amanuensis,		10 00	
Dr. Dudley Leavitt, " "		5 00	
Dr. C. D. Kingsley, " "		5 00	
Dr. Henry Colt, " "		5 00	
Dr. W. L. Paddock, " "		5 00	
Dr. Henry T. Phillips, " "		2 00	
Dr. C. W. Burton, " "		2 00	
Annie E. Stineway, "		2 00	
		593 85	
Commitment of the Insane.			
C. T. Phelps, Justice,	54 00		
Joseph Tucker, "	48 00		
W. B. Sanford, "	25 00		
N. H. Bixby, "	21 00		
Amounts carried forward,	$148 00	$593 85	$149,913 99

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Amounts brought forward	$148 00	$593 85	$149,913 99
S. G. Tenney, Justice,	10 00		
W. H. Woodhead, "	6 00		
W. G. Bassett, "	6 00		
P. H. Casey, "	3 00		
H. C. Phelps, "	3 00		
H. B. Wellington, "	3 00		
Dr. W. J. Mercer, Physician,	36 20		
Dr. G. L. Rice, "	36 00		
Dr. F. D. Stafford, "	31 50		
Dr. Homer Bushnell, "	27 00		
Dr. P. A. Holohan, "	24 00		
Dr. W. A. Millett, "	24 00		
Dr. A. K. Boom, "	22 50		
Dr. H. B. Holmes, "	13 50		
Dr. John B. Beebe, "	12 00		
Dr. Lyman A. Jones, "	9 90		
Dr. O. S. Roberts, "	12 00		
Dr. M. M. Brown, "	9 00		
Dr. D. E. Thayer, "	9 00		
Dr. W. F. McGrath "	9 00		
Dr. H. J. Putnam, "	9 00		
Dr. J. R. Hobbie, "	9 00		
Dr. J. J. Hassett, "	9 00		
Dr. John B. Hull, "	8 40		
Dr. W. M. Mercer, "	8 20		
Dr. I. S. F. Dodd, "	8 80		
Dr. C. Seymour, "	8 40		
Dr. J. C. Fahey, "	8 40		
Dr. H. F. Quinlan, "	8 00		
Dr. W. P. Small, "	8 00		
Dr. W. W. Leavitt, "	8 00		
Dr. L. F. Ingham, "	8 00		
Dr. H. J. Hunter, "	5 00		
Dr. W. L. Tucker, "	5 00		
Dr. Edward E. Mather, "	5 40		
Dr. W. M. Pascoe, "	5 00		
Dr. H. M. Smith, "	5 00		
Dr. C. C. Holcombe, "	5 25		
Dr. D. M. Wilcox, "	5 25		
Dr. J. B. Thomes, "	4 80		
Dr. W. W. Hurd, "	4 50		
Dr. T. J. Putnam, "	4 50		
Dr. Alfred Desorrher, "	4 50		
Dr. C. T. Woodward, "	4 50		
Dr. W. S. Carr, "	4 50		
Dr. Geo. F. Simpson, "	4 50		
Dr. H. M. Holmes, "	4 50		
Dr. William Galvin, "	4 50		
Dr. C. J. Curran, "	4 50		
Dr. E. E. Russell, "	4 50		
Dr. J. F. Crawley, "	4 50		
Dr. S. L. Lloyd, "	4 20		
Dr. E. P. Hale, "	4 00		
Dr. W. W. Schofield, "	4 00		
Dr. G. F. Mackey "	4 00		
Dr. Joseph Jones, "	4 00		
Dr. Henry Colt, "	4 00		
Dr. F. K. Paddock, "	4 00		
Dr. E. W. Stockwell, "	4 00		
Dr. W. P. Kelly, "	4 00		
Dr. S. C. Burton, "	4 00		
Dr. L. D. Woodbridge, "	4 20		
Charles L. Frink, Officer,	409 75		
William O'Brien, "	135 99		
John Nicholson, "	71 93		
Amounts carried forward,	$1,308 07	$593 85	$149,913 99

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Amounts brought forward,	$1,308 07	$593 85	$149,913 99
L. Pilon, Officer,	50 80		
P. H. Whalen, "	42 85		
E. H. Peirce, "	41 19		
Joseph Richards, "	38 04		
A. A. Shaw, "	32 73		
John H. Bacon, "	29 17		
John E. White, "	27 10		
Jas. S. Barnes, "	23 20		
C. H. Cutting, "	19 70		
E. L. Day, "	17 91		
Thos. Dumphrey, "	17 25		
O. L. Wood, "	17 25		
John E. Merritt, "	14 07		
J. A. Maxim, "	13 23	$1,692 56	2,286 41

AUDITORS MASTERS AND REFEREES.

E. M. Wood, Master,	$255 00	
S. G. Tenney, Auditor,	171 70	
C. E. Hibbard, "	157 95	
F. H. Cande, "	75 00	
C. T. Phelps, "	50 00	
N. H. Bixby, "	36 00	
Chas. Giddings, "	33 00	
F. R. Shaw, "	25 00	
John E. Magenis, "	20 00	
		823 65

REPAIRING, FURNISHING, ETC., COUNTY BUILDINGS.

Court House, Etc.

Walworth Construction & Supply Co., plans,	254 58
A. N. French, painting,	358 49
E. B. Hume, repairs,	171 17
Prince & Walker, repairs and fur'gs,	147 41
John J. Higgins, "	77 03
Hickey & Farrell, "	76 09
Robbins, Gamwell & Co., repairs,	72 66
George A. Bidwell, "	44 05
Peirson Hardware Co., rep. and fur'gs,	69 85
A. A. Mills Co., furnishings,	65 26
W. G. Backus & Sons, repairs, etc.,	14 40
P. C. Langdon, renovating,	9 89
Berkshire Mills Supply Co., hose,	9 00
John Kerns, repairs,	7 75
Hardware Supply Co., repairs,	5 50
Harry Howard, "	5 25
Charles J. Cole, "	5 00
Howard & Morrow, "	4 15
Gamwell & Linnehan, furnishings,	3 10
H. H. Vincent & Co., "	3 00
F. A. Robbins, repairs,	2 25
Eureka Electric Co., "	1 97
E. R. Whiting, "	1 50
Barker & Belden, "	45
Noble, Johnson, Milne & Co., repairs,	1 00
F. Viscardi, rep. So. Berk. Reg.,	30 00
Parish & Tuttle Co., rep. S. Berk. Reg.,	15 73
A. H. Simmons, rep. No. Berk. Reg.,	7 50
Amounts carried forward,	$1,464 03

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Amounts brought forward,		$1,464 03	$153,024 05

House of Correction.

G. A. Booth, repairs on roof	$445 00		
Robbins, Gamwell & Co., repairs,	409 84		
Parsons & Sears, "	265 16		
Wood Bros., piano, "	185 00		
Hickey & Farrell, repairs.	168 70		
Butler Lumber Co., "	165 59		
H. S. Russell, "	106 25		
Gale Lumber Co., "	105 78		
Hardware Supply Co., "	103 39		
C. E. Merrill, "	91 26		
Henry & Blain, "	90 40		
Prince & Walker, furnishings,	75 80		
Mass. Reformatory, "	71 52		
Barker & Belden, repairs,	53 90		
Howard & Morrow, "	44 28		
Stephen T. Haley, "	43 73		
A. A. Mills Co., furnishings,	39 20		
Dodge & Devanny, repairs,	38 58		
H. of C. Suffolk Co., brooms,	26 75		
J. W. Whipple, amts. paid for F. & R.,	23 40		
F. A Robbins, clocks,	14 75		
Eureka Electric Co., repairs,	16 87		
Petherbridge & Burns, furnishings,	13 00		
A. M. Chapel, repairs,	11 86		
L. Alberts & Sons, repairs,	11 75		
E. E. Cleveland, furnishings,	9 65		
So. Boston H. of C., "	7 75		
M. R. Warren & Co., cash book,	7 00		
W. W. Carpenter, repairs,	6 95		
Chas. J. Cole, "	5 00		
Cullen Bros., furnishings,	2 85		
Pittsfield Coal Gas Co., plate,	2 75		
F. W. Dutton, repairs,	2 50		
C. W. Fuller, amts. paid for F. & R.,	2 25		
Mass. States Prison, furnishings,	1 25		
Kelley & Co., repairs,	1 50		
Middlesex H. of C., furnishings,	88		
Geo. W. Bailey & Co., "	84		
		2,672 93	
			4,136 96

CARE, FUEL, LIGHT, SUPPLIES, ETC., in County Buildings, other than House of Correction.

Care, Fuel, Light, etc.

David L. Evans, Janitor,	800 00	
Tanner, Hamilton & Co , coal C. H.,	406 56	
Pittsfield Coal Gas Co., gas, C. H.,	208 95	
D. L. Evans, pd for cl'ng, etc., C. H.,	167 05	
Town of Adams, care Co., Bldg,	240 00	
Town of Gt. Barrington, care Co., Bldg,	240 00	
Hardware Supply Co., supplies,	20 65	
Pittsfield Journal Co., coal bids,	8 00	
Reid & Barnfather, supplies,	3 55	
J. M. Linnehan & Co., "	3 50	
P. M. Frank, floor oil,	4 50	
D. C. MacInnes & Co., supplies,	1 88	
J. H. Manning, "	1 45	
Gt. Barrington Elec. Lt. Co., Lt. So. Berk. Reg.,	15 00	
C. A. Waters, supplies, No. " "	8 00	
Amount carried forward,	$2,129 09	$157,161 01

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Amounts brought forward,		$2,129 09	$157,161 01
Stationery, Blanks, Rec. Books, Printing, Etc.			
Clerk's Office.			
F. H. Cande, postage, etc.,	113 01		
Sun Printing Co., printing, etc.,	139 75		
Eagle Pub. Co., " "	73 90		
J. L. Fairbanks & Co., books,	27 00		
Pittsfield Journal Co., printing, etc.,	12 50		
M. R. Warren & Co., books,	6 50		
Carter Ink Co., ink,	9 40		
United T. W. & S. Co., supplies,	4 00		
Morgan, Crossman & Co., stamps,	3 25		
		389 31	
Probate Office.			
Pittsfield Journal Co., printing, etc.,	150 50		
Eagle Publishing Co., "	48 75		
Adams Freeman,	47 75		
Benj. D. Benson & Son, "	35 00		
Sun Printing Co., "	29 00		
Walden & Crawley, "	19 25		
United T. W. & S. Co., supplies,	15 65		
Library Bureau, cards,	2 00		
T. H. McLaughlin, pens,	1 50		
E. T. Slocum, postage,	6 00		
F. R. Shaw, "	19 51		
		374 91	
Registries of Deeds.			
Case, Lockwood & B. Co., indexes, N. M. and S. Dists.,	171 50		
Carter Ink Co., ink N. M. and S. Dists.,	4 40		
Transcript Pub. Co., books, No. Dist.,	48 50		
Adams Freeman, printing, " "	31 00		
A. J. Hurd, stationery, " "	8 10		
Democrat Pub. Co., print'g, " "	2 10		
F. E. Mole, pens, " "	1 50		
Morgan, Crossman & Co., stamps, No. Dist.,	75		
C. H. Tower, stenographer, No. Dist.,	6 00		
A. W. Safford, postage, etc., No. Dist.,	13 32		
Burr Index Co., indexes, Mid. Dist.,	90 00		
Eagle Pub. Co., books, " "	73 50		
H. C. Kells, printing, " "	5 00		
H. M. Pitt, postage, etc., " "	14 25		
Berkshire Courier, print'g, So. "	16 00		
Foote-Nodine Co., station'y, " "	5 50		
Malcolm Douglas, postage, etc., S. Dist.,	24 60		
		516 02	
Treasurer's Office.			
Sun Printing Co., printing,	23 75		
Eagle Pub. Co., "	13 75		
Pitt. Journal Co., "	2 35		
Geo. H. Tucker, postage, exp., etc.,	54 80		
Pitt. Journal Co., ann'l statement,	48 50		
		143 15	
General Use, Court House and Courts.			
Pittsf'd News Co., stat'y, etc.,	61 55		
R. N. Tucker, "	21 32		
Wm. Nugent. "	17 35		
Talbot Bros., "	13 25		
Adams, Cushing & Foster, ink,	9 60		
George Blatchford, stationery,	4 40		
Sun Printing Co., printing,	20 95		
Eagle Pub. Co., "	2 75		
E. E. Cleveland, stationery,	1 00	152 17	3,704 65
Amount carried forward,			$160,865 66

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Amount brought forward,		$160,865 66

HIGHWAYS, BRIDGES AND LAND DAMAGES.

Commonwealth of Mass., state highways, app'mt and int. for year of 1897,	$9 324 45	
John McCarthy, copies, state highways,	3 25	
Barnes & Jenks, map and surveys,	572 84	
O. L. Wood, Deputy Sheriff, service notices,	51 64	
D. H. Tower, report on reservoirs,	25 00	
H. A. Bauers, labor, Greylock road,	15 00	
		9,992 18

LAW LIBRARY.

Geo. H. Tucker, Treas., am'ts of cl'ks and nat'l fees,		1,741 30

TRUANT SCHOOL.

County of Hampden, board and care of truants,	1,775 13	
Erwin G. Ward, Supt., R. R. fare for truants,	19 89	
		1,795 02

MISCELLANEOUS AND CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

Bradley Bros., loam for lawn, C. H.,	192 53	
W. T. Austin, labor on " "	57 68	
Howard & Morrow, fertz. and seed, lawn, C.H.,	25 70	
Jos. W. Kirchner, " " " "	7 36	
Matthew Conway, labor on lawn, C. H.,	36 00	
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., tel. and mess.,	84 53	
W. H. Kendall, ice 2 years,	53 54	
City of Pittsfield, water,	40 00	
F. G. Guilds, sprinkling street,	25 00	
Boston Daily Advertiser, ad. loan,	20 63	
Springfield Republican, " "	9 15	
Price, Lee & Co., directories,	9 00	
Samuel Bridges, team,	8 00	
F. G. Blanchard & Co., year books,	7 50	
C. M. Atkinson, plants,	5 80	
W. H. Turner, miss. art's,	6 88	
Weekly R. R. Guide,	8 30	
Pittsfield Elec. Co., motor service,	20 72	
H. B. Wellington, bar fee refunded,	5 00	
T. E. Hall, miscellaneous articles,	4 00	
Alice M. Hoyt, " "	2 00	
Geo. W. Bailey & Co., miss. "	1 38	
James Hunter, bulbs,	90	
F. W. Dutton, soda ash,	80	
Postal Tel. & Cable Co., telegram,	26	
Orlando S. Fish, service,	10 64	
Oliver L. Wood, attending Prob. Ct.,	32 00	
W. W. Langdon, " " "	32 00	
C. H. Cutting, " " "	16 00	
Wm. O'Brien, " " "	12 00	
E. T. Slocum, Judge Prob., trl'g exp.,	22 04	
F. R. Shaw, Regr. " " "	7 25	
E. T. Slocum, Board of Examiners, $3 00		
F. R. Shaw, " " " 3 00		
F. H. Cande, " " " 3 00	9 00	
		773 59
Am't of Co. expend'rs carried forward,		$175,167 75

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Amount brought forward, (Co. Expend'rs),			$175,167 75

DOG DAMAGES AND DOG MONEY REFUNDED.

Becket.

C. S. Holmes,	$41 50	
William H. Snow,	16 00	
Frederick Snow,	10 00	
P. M. Shaylor,	7 00	
Mrs. C. S. Holmes,	2 50	
		77 00

Cheshire.

Barney Clancy,	25 00	
Mrs. N. A. McCormick,	10 00	
George Z. Dean,	7 20	
Lawrence Curran,	8 00	
H. B. Wolcott,	3 00	
George E. Northrup,	3 00	
David Cole,	1 00	
Edward Purtle,	1 00	
		58 20

Dalton.

E. M. Smith,	179 50	
Estate of Byron Weston,	102 00	
Mrs. J. C. Weston,	101 00	
J. A. Barton,	71 50	
Sarah O. Wells,	34 00	
Fred L. Warren,	22 80	
H. R. Messenger,	12 00	
James O'Brien,	12 00	
C. W. Cady,	10 00	
John Tatro,	4 20	
Samuel L. Ceasar,	4 00	
William F. Fuller,	3 00	
John Glennon,	2 00	
A. K. Cleveland,	2 00	
Edward French,	1 00	
Wesley B. Barton,	1 00	
William R. Pratt,	1 00	
Mrs. Andrew Smith,	60	
		563 60

Florida.

E. J. Corbis,	45 00	
D. W. Bliss,	4 20	
Samuel A. Phillips,	1 00	
George A. Lus,	1 00	
		51 20
Amounts carried forward,		$750 00 $175,167 75

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Amounts brought forward,		$750 00	$175,167 75
Great Barrington.			
Hiram Comstock,	$50 00		
F. D. Whitcomb,	10 00		
Mrs. J. De Varennes,	7 50		
William I. Walker,	5 80		
Seneca Nodine,	5 00		
E. G. Mercer,	5 00		
John B. Chadwick,	3 40		
Michael Manion,	1 00		
John Supple,	1 00		
		88 70	
Hancock.			
D. G. Sharp,	140 00		
Hiram Whitman,	59 00		
D. L. Whitman,	37 40		
C. H. Spencer,	35 00		
John Cummings,	28 00		
G. B. Sweet,	27 00		
William S. Conklin,	23 00		
C. D. Whitman,	22 00		
Ernest Whitman,	20 00		
N. A. Rathbun,	20 00		
Elton Jordan,	5 00		
Frank Gates,	5 00		
A. P. La Barron,	4 00		
C. F. Shumway,	3 50		
David A. Love,	1 00		
Michael Murphy,	1 00		
C. H. Wells,	1 00		
		431 90	
Hinsdale.			
Peter Parsons,	7 00	7 00	
Lanesborough.			
Gilbert West,	48 66		
Henry S. Nurse,	12 00		
E. M. Whiting,	11 80		
William E. Robinson,	6 00		
H. A. Newton,	4 00		
King D. Keeler,	1 25		
George B. Sherman,	1 00		
		84 71	
Lee.			
E. W. Brayman,	46 00		
Calvin Jones,	45 00		
J. H. Pixley,	12 55		
C. N. Foote,	12 00		
George E. Rood,	11 00		
P. M. Shaylor,	4 50		
Lucian A. Morris,	4 00		
C. H. Cutting,	3 12		
E. J. Dowd,	1 00		
Mrs. Ellen Vanable,	1 00		
		140 17	
Amounts carried forward,		$1,502 48	$175,167 75

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Amounts brought forward,		$1,502 48	$175,167 75
Lenox.			
I. J. Newton,	$70 00		
H. P. Wookey,	36 50		
Edward McDonald,	7 80		
S. O. Tillotson,	1 00		
Wm. H. Washburn,	1 00		
		116 30	
Monterey.			
D. S. Busby,	30 00		
Rufus C. Brett,	13 00		
C. W. Gregory,	6 80		
Timothy Curtin,	5 00		
A. W. Brett,	4 00		
William Hawkins,	1 40		
H. W. Langdon,	1 00		
F. G. Heath,	1 00		
		62 20	
Mount Washington.			
Herbert W. Weaver,	75 00		
Henry Merlow,	12 00		
Ira L. Patterson,	5 20		
Henry Merton,	1 00		
Herbert Keith,	1 00		
		94 20	
New Ashford.			
Arthur B. Roys,	142 00		
Mrs Van Ness Mallory,	120 00		
R. J. Smith & Son,	108 50		
Phoebe J. Smith,	57 50		
Lazell Baker,	48 00		
Michael Mackey,	46 00		
Elihu Ingraham,	37 60		
George A. Bauer,	10 00		
Henry M. White,	2 00		
		571 60	
New Marlborough.			
Arthur Crosby,	30 00		
John H. Sardam,	20 00		
J. T. Pettis,	20 00		
Ellen McCarty,	6 00		
C. G. Smith,	5 00		
J. A. Turner,	4 20		
Ralph Roades,	3 00		
		88 20	
Otis.			
Oscar R. Gibbs,	34 00		
Thomas Harrington,	32 00		
John E. Merritt,	16 40		
John W. Griffin,	15 00		
E. B. Palmer,	11 00		
J. L. Stephens,	9 00		
C. C. Palmer,	5 50		
Frank O. Gibbs,	4 00		
Frank C. Hayden,	4 00		
		130 90	
Amounts carried forward,		$2,565 88	$175,167 75

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Amounts brought forward,		$2,565 88	$175,167 75
Peru.			
E. T. Creamer,	$20 00		
Timothy Creamer,	10 00		
Frank F. Watkins,	15 00		
James S. Barnes,	4 80		
		49 80	
Pittsfield.			
George D. Parker,	356 00		
W. M. Cadwell,	161 00		
Amos Chapman,	100 00		
John Nicholson,	34 00		
Charles W. Fuller,	31 00		
P. H. Griffin,	20 00		
W. G. White,	14 00		
Freeman Jordan,	14 00		
Mystic S. Gardner,	15 00		
F. P. Farrington,	11 00		
Michael Mulcahy,	11 00		
Grove E. Hurlbut,	10 00		
A. E. Warner,	6 00		
Milton Dunbar,	5 00		
Charles Eaton,	5 00		
Douglas Miller,	5 00		
Terrance Cooney,	3 25		
William A. Cole,	2 00		
Thomas M. Turner,	2 00		
John Allen Root,	3 00		
Mrs. Mary E. O'Brien,	3 00		
John W. Whipple,	1 00		
E. S. Davenport,	1 00		
		813 25	
Richmond.			
W. H. Branch,	76 80		
Frank Wheeler,	40 00		
William Stevens,	20 00		
W. H. Sherrill,	14 40		
Sarah M. Gaston,	15 00		
S. R. Benton,	10 00		
M. W. Coleman,	8 00		
Patrick Maloney,	5 00		
C. H. Dorr,	3 60		
John H. Fairfield,	3 00		
W. L. Nichols,	2 00		
		197 80	
Sandisfield.			
H. N. Fuller,	12 00		
Newell A. Ives,	10 00		
Frank M. Rugg,	3 60		
C. D. Northway,	3 50		
		29 10	
Savoy.			
H. S. Barton,	50 50		
G. M. Bliss,	40 00		
A. J. McCullock,	4 20		
Robert Harris,	1 00		
N. A. Tower,	1 00		
John C. Buck,	1 00		
J. A. Abrahamson,	1 00		
		98 70	
Amounts carried forward,		$3,754 53	$175,167 75

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Amounts brought forward,		$3,754 53	$175,167 75
Sheffield.			
William Woodbeck,	$72 00		
E. D. Andrus,	8 80		
Wilbur J. Clark,	6 00		
Fred M. Ford,	1 00		
Frank Stevens,	1 00		
Harlow Wilcox,	1 00		
James Clark,	1 00		
		90 80	
Stockbridge.			
F. A. Palmer,	180 00		
William Yale,	141 00		
F. S. Aymar,	11 20		
George Seymour,	4 00		
H. B. Barton,	4 00		
		340 20	
Tyringham.			
D. C. Heath,	16 00		
George E. Hale,	6 00		
J. W. Sweet,	2 00		
		24 00	
Washington.			
John B. Watson,	15 00		
A. K. Beach,	6 00		
L. E. Weston,	3 60		
		24 60	
West Stockbridge.			
E. A. Easland,	40 00		
M. Condon,	7 40		
Patrick J. Welch,	12 00		
O. P. Leavitt,	5 00		
George M. Easland,	1 00		
M. H. Arnold,	1 00		
		66 40	
Williamstown.			
C. D. Phelps,	111 00		
Lewis Williams,	89 00		
C. G. Sanford,	82 20		
Charles H. Barber,	72 00		
D. E. Cronk,	62 50		
Stephen Bacon,	50 00		
Sampson Saunders,	59 00		
James McLean,	45 00		
C. Beebe,	43 00		
S. A. Hickox,	30 00		
John A. Torrey,	21 00		
David Galusha,	20 00		
E. H. Noyes,	18 00		
Newell E. Torrey,	17 00		
W. H. Meacham,	16 00		
Henry J. Pease,	15 00		
M. H. Torrey,	15 00		
George A. Field,	10 00		
Russell Bacon,	10 00		
A. J. Beebe,	9 00		
George E. Torrey,	8 00		
Loren White,	8 00		
Amounts carried forward,	$810 70	$4,300 53	$175,167 75

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Amounts brought forward,	$810 70	$4,300 53	$175,167 75
A. M. Stevens,	6 00		
C. F. Blair,	6 00		
L. C. Torrey,	5 00		
H. A. Jones,	5 00		
F. K. McLaughlin,	4 00		
L. W. Burdick,	3 00		
Harry B. McLaughlin,	2 00		
Mrs. Sampson Saunders,	2 00		
M. M. Gavitt,	1 00		
		844 70	
Windsor.			
Jacob Warner,	15 00		
A. A. Shaw,	6 80		
Aaron Barden,	5 00		
		26 80	
Amount paid on acc't of dog damages,		$5,172 03	
Amounts refunded to the Towns and Cities of the County in proportion to the sums received from them respectively, as follows:			
Adams,	$290 38		
Alford,	24 84		
Becket,	56 38		
Cheshire,	79 23		
Clarksburg,	52 90		
Dalton,	151 78		
Egremont,	38 50		
Florida,	54 40		
Great Barrington,	276 38		
Hancock,	38 50		
Hinsdale,	81 72		
Lanesborough,	59 36		
Lee,	151 28		
Lenox,	133 88		
Monterey,	29 05		
Mt. Washington,	8 20		
New Ashford,	16 15		
New Marlborough,	105 07		
North Adams,	556 42		
Otis,	49 18		
Peru,	20 63		
Pittsfield,	825 43		
Richmond,	32 53		
Sandisfield,	60 60		
Savoy,	46 70		
Sheffield,	144 57		
Stockbridge,	160 47		
Tyringham,	21 49		
Washington,	40 74		
West Stockbridge,	115 26		
Williamstown,	186 80		
Windsor,	44 70		
		3,953 52	
			9,125 55
			184,293 30
Balance in the Treasury, viz: County Account,		34,155 93	
Dog Fund,		8,366 09	
			42,522 02
			$226,815 32

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TABLE SETTING FORTH APPROPRIATIONS, AMOUNTS EXPENDED, UNEXPENDED BALANCES AND EXCESS.

	Appropriations made by the General Court.	Amount Expended.	Unexpended Balance.	Amount of Excess.
Interest,	$ 6,250 00	$ 5,347 10	$ 902 90	
Reduction of County Debt,	10,000 00	10,000 00		
Salaries of County Officers fixed by law,	12,000 00	11,451 60	548 40	
Clerical Assistance in County Offices,	3,500 00	2,698 40	801 60	
Salaries and Expenses District and Police Courts,	19,000 00	18,472 55	527 45	
Salaries of Master and Assistants and Support of Prisoners in House of Correction, including Shop,	27,000 00	29,618 46		$ 2,618 46
Criminal Costs in Superior Court,	7,000 00	5,158 22	1,841 78	
Civil Expenses in Supreme and Superior Courts,	4,000 00	4,930 90		930 90
Trial Justices,	150 00	120 90	29 10	
Transportation Expenses County and Special Commissioners,	200 00	115 86	84 14	
Medical Examiners and Commitment of Insane,	2,000 00	2,286 41		286 41
Auditors, Masters and Referees,	1,400 00	823 65	576 35	
Repairing, Furnishing and Improving County Buildings,	5,000 00	4,136 96	863 04	
Care, Fuel, Light and Supplies County Buildings, other than H. C.,	4,000 00	3,704 65	295 35	
Highways, Bridges and Land Damages,	12,000 00	9,992 18	2,007 82	
Law Library,		1,741 30		1,741 30
Truant School,	500 00	1,795 02		1,295 02
Miscellaneous and Contingent Expenses,	1,000 00	773 59	226 41	
	$115,000 00	$113,167 75	$ 8,704 34	$ 6,872 09
Balance in the Treasury, Jan. 1, 1899,	28,392 87			
County Tax of 1899,	104,000 00			
Temporary Loans,	27,000 00	27,000 00		
Loan to Refund Old County Debt,	35,000 00	35,000 00		
Interest on Deposits,	317 74			
Fines, Costs and Fees,	2,481 59			
Clerk of the Courts, Fees,	1,183 30			
Registers of Deeds, Fees,	4,390 60			
Naturalization,	558 00			
House of Correction, including Shop,	12,339 19			
Highways, Bridges, etc.,	278 88			
Truant School,	1,565 00			
Pedlers' Licenses,	99 00			
Miscellaneous,	12 95			
Dog Fund,	9,196 20	9,125 55		
Balance in the Treasury,		42,522 02		
Appropriations made by the General Court,				115,000 00
Net Expenditures, County Account,			113,167 75	
	$226,815 32	$226,815 32	$121,872 09	$121,872 09

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RECAPITULATION.

Receipts.

Bal. in the Treas'y, Jan. 1, 1899, viz: Co. Acc't.,		$20,097 43	
	Dog Fund,	8,295 44	
			$28,392 87
County Tax of 1899,			104,000 00
Temporary Loans,			27,000 00
Loan to Refund Old County Debt,			35,000 00
Interest on Deposits,			317 74
Fines, Costs, Fees, etc., viz:	Superior Court,	913 86	
	Inferior Courts,	1,482 93	
	Master, H. C.,	84 80	
			2,481 59
Clerk of the Courts, Fees,			1,183 30
Registers of Deeds, Fees,			4,390 60
Naturalization,			558 00
Master, House of Correction.	Board,	173 30	
	Sundries,	3 91	
			177 21
Master, House of Correction.	Heel Shop,		12,161 98
Highways and Bridges,			278 88
Truant School,			1,565 00
Pedlers' Licenses,			99 00
Miscellaneous,			12 95
Dog Licenses, etc.,			9,196 20
			$226,815 32

Expenditures.

Interest,		$5,347 10
County Debt,		10,000 00
Old County Debt Refunded,		35,000 00
Temporary Loans,		27,000 00
Salaries County Officers, fixed by law,		11,451 60
Clerical Assistance in County Offices,		2,698 40
Salaries and Expenses, Dist. and Police Courts, viz:		
Salaries of the Justices,	8,649 25	
" " " Clerks,	3,435 79	
" " " Probation Officers,	2,390 00	
Expen's " " Courts,	3,997 51	
		18,472 55
Care and Sup. of Pris'rs in H. C. and Salaries,		17,037 91
House of Correction. Heel Shop,		12,580 55
Criminal Costs in Superior Court,		5,158 22
Civil Expenses in Supreme and Superior Courts,		4,930 90
Trial Justices,		120 90
Transportation Co. and Special Commissioners,		115 86
Med. Examiners and Commitment of Insane,		2,286 41
Auditors, Masters and Referees,		823 65
Repairing, Furnishing, etc., County Buildings,		4,136 96
Care, Fuel, Light, Supp's. Co. build's, (ex. H. C.),		3,704 65
Highways and Land Damages,		9,992 18
Law Library,		1,741 30
Truant School,		1,795 02
Miscellaneous and Contingent Expenses,		773 59
Dog Damages,	5,172 03	
Dog Money refunded,	3,953 52	
		9,125 55
Balance in the Treasury, County Account,	34,155 93	
Dog Fund,	8,366 09	
		42,522 02
		$226,815 32

GEORGE H. TUCKER, *County Treasurer.*

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COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' REPORT.

In accordance with Chapter 153, Acts of 1897, the County Commissioners of Berkshire County, submit this, their third annual report.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

The County Debt exclusive of accrued interest on December 31, 1898, was $120,000. During the year 1899 the usual sum of $10,000 was paid, leaving the debt Dec. 31, 1899, $110,000.

On the first of February, 1899, $35,000 of the debt of the county became due and payable. This part of the debt has been styled on the books of the county as "Old County Debt," and originated in part over fifty years ago, and was incurred for making roads and for additions and repairs to the court house in Lenox. It was afterwards increased in 1876, by reason of the erection of the county and town building in the town of Great Barrington. It bore 7% up to Feb. 1, 1879, when it was funded at 5% for twenty years. Authority was granted by the Legislature of 1899, to refund the loan, which was done at 3%. The county netted a small premium of $12.95. The cost of advertising being $29.78. The loan was sold to the Salem Savings Bank of Salem, Mass., and was made payable $10,000 on the first day of November in each of the years 1899, 1902 and 1904, and $5,000 Nov. 1, 1905.

$80,000 of the debt now bears 4%, $25,000 3%, and $5,000 3½%.

The amount raised by taxation in 1899 was $104,000.

The following table shows the objects and amounts of the appropriation for the year 1899:

Interest on County Debt,	$6,250 00
Reduction County Debt,	10,000 00
Salaries of County Officers, fixed by law,	12,000 00
Clerical Assistance in County Offices,	3,500 00
Salaries and Expenses D. and P. Courts,	19,000 00
Salaries of Jailer, Master, Assts, and Sup. of Prisoner H. C.,	27,000 00
Criminal Costs, Superior Court,	7,000 00
Civil Expenses in Supreme and Superior Courts,	4,000 00
Trial Justices,	150 00
Transportation Commissioners,	200 00

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Medical Examiners and Insane,	2,000 00
Auditors, Masters, &c.,	1,400 00
Repairing, furnishing and improving County Buildings,	5,000 00
Care, Fuel, Light and Supplies, County Buildings,	4,000 00
Highways and Land Damages,	12,000 00
Truant School,	500 00
Misc. and Contingent Expenses,	1,000 00
	$115,000 00

The expenditures under the foregoing appropriations are shown by the following table:

Interest on County Debt,	$5,347 10
Reduction County Debt,	10,000 00
Salaries of County Officers fixed by Law,	11,451 60
Clerical Assistance in County Offices,	2,698 40
Salaries and Expenses D. and P. Courts,	18,472 55
Salaries of Jailer, Master, Ass'ts, and Sup. of Pris'rs H. C.,	17,037 91
Criminal Costs, Superior Court,	5,158 22
Civil Expenses in Supreme and Superior Courts,	4,930 90
Trial Justices,	120 90
Transportation Commissioners,	115 86
Medical Examiners and Insane,	2,286 41
Auditors, Masters, etc.,	823 65
Repairing, Furnishing and Improving County Buildings,	4,136 96
Care, Fuel, Light and Supplies, County Buildings,	3,704 65
Highways and Land Damages,	9,992 18
Law Libraries,	1,741 30
Truant School,	1,795 02
Misc. and Contingent Expenses,	773 59
	$100,587 20

Besides the expenditures above enumerated, there has been the expenditure of $12,580.55 for the maintenance of the heel shop at the House of Correction, which will be explained under that head.

Omitting the last mentioned expenditure, the expense of the county have been for the year 1899, $1,846.70 less than for the year 1898.

Four departments have exceeded the estimates made by the board, viz: Salaries of jailer and assistants and support of prisoners at House of Correction $2,618.46, civil expenses in Supreme and Superior Courts $930.90, Medical Examiners and commitment of insane $286.41, truant school $1,295.02.

The cause of the first mentioned deficiency was from the fact that the estimate was made smaller than the anticipated expenditure, as certain Acts of 1898 permits the use of receipts from the House of Correction for the payment of the expenses of maintaining the industries in that institution.

The cause of the deficiency in the remaining three instances

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arises from the fact that no accurate estimate can be made of the amount that will be required for these items.

STATE HIGHWAYS.

The following tables furnished by the State Highway Commission, explain fully the amount and character of the state highways laid out and completed in the county, and the cost of building the same, also cost of maintainance and repairs of the same.

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BERKSHIRE COUNTY.

SHOWING LENGTHS LAID OUT, LENGTHS CONSTRUCTED AND AMOUNTS EXPENDED TO JAN. 1, 1900.

TOWN OR CITY.	LENGTHS LAID OUT IN FEET.			LENGTHS CONSTR'C'D IN FEET.			* EXPENDED.		
	1894-1898	1899.	Total.	1894-1898.	1899.	Total.	1894-1898	1899.	Total.
Adams,	3,000		3,000	3,000		3,000	$ 6,250 41		$ 6,250 41
Cheshire,		4,991	4,991		‡			$ 1,604 60	1,604 60
Dalton,	8,259		8,259	8,259		8,259	19,210 93	8 66	19,219 59
Great Barrington,	14,706		14,706	14,706	†	14,706	29,170 09	4,694 93	33,865 02
Hancock,	11,827	5,189	17,016	11,827	‡	11,827	26,121 74	8,765 40	34,887 14
Lee,	10,480		10,480	10,480		10,480	25,398 85		25,398 85
Lenox,		4,700	4,700		‡			2,499 43	2,499 43
North Adams,	8,913		8,913	8,913		8,913	16,557 37		16,557 37
Pittsfield,	12,185		12,185	12,035	150	12,185	22,617 82	329 23	22,947 05
Richmond,	5,436	1,755	7,191	5,236	1,955	7,191	8,781 69	3,799 14	12,580 83
Williamstown,	10,147		10,147	10,147		10,147	25,892 48	250 11	26,142 59
Windsor,	1,501		1,501	1,501		1,501	6,790 55	248 24	7,038 79
Total (Feet),	86,454	16,635	103,089	86,104	2,105	88,209	$186,791 93	$22,199 74	$208,991 67
Total (Miles),	16.37	3.15	19.52	16.31	.40	16.71			

† 4,300 feet of trap rock surfacing applied this season.
‡ Section graded but surfacing not yet applied.
* Exclusive of repairs and maintenance.

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Amount Expended for Repairs and Maintenance of State Highways.

Berkshire County, Dec. 31, 1899.

TOWN—CITY.	EXPENDED. 1896—1898.	EXPENDED. 1899.	TOTAL.
Adams,	$7.63	$86.38	$94.01
Dalton,	889.16	343.44	1,232.60
Great Barrington,	558.25	438.67	996.92
Hancock,	874.17	519.15	1,393.32
Lee,	485.65	692.08	1,177.73
North Adams,	418.59	183.45	602.04
Pittsfield,	485.84	406.11	891.95
Richmond,	52.77	42.98	95.75
Williamstown,	168.51	193.33	361.84
Windsor,	1.79	14.70	16.49
Total,	$3,942.36	$2,920.29	$6,862.65

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HOUSE OF CORRECTION.

The total expense of the Jail and House of Correction, exclusive of the shop is $1,228.31 less than in 1898.

THE WORKSHOP.

During the year the expense of maintaining the shop, including materials purchased, small tools, repairs and salaries, amounts to $12,580.55, the receipts for goods sold have been $12,161.98.

STATEMENT.

Receipts,	$12,161 98
Cash in hands of Master, Jan. 1, 1900,	1,731 67
Book Accounts,	2,507 76
Manufactured Heels,	952 00
Stock,	310 00
	$17,663 41
Cost of Shop,	12,580 55
Leaving a bal. of profit to the County of	$5,082 86

In this statement no account is made of the machinery, which cost about $600.

TRUANT SCHOOL.

In the year 1891, the county purchased a house and about thirty acres of land in the town of Becket, for the purposes of a truant school, paying for the same $1,500.

This property has been carried on the books of the county at $1,600, enough permanent repairs having been made thereon, to justify that appraisal. At the end of the year 1896, the school was closed, a contract having been made by the County Commissioners with the County of Hampden, for the care of the truants of this county, at considerably less expense than the county could maintain its own school.

It was found to be impossible to rent the property or sell it until in the spring of 1899, a purchaser was secured, and the property was sold for $950.

REPAIRS.

There have been no extensive repairs upon any of the county buildings during the year, but such repairs have been made, as were necessary to keep the buildings in good condition and suitable to the requirements of the public.

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The following are the salaries of the various County Officers:—

Prescribed by Law.

F. H. Cande, Clerk of Courts,	$2,800 00	
County Commissioners,	2,100 00	
C. W. Fuller, Sheriff,	1,600 00	
Arthur W. Safford, Reg. Deeds North Dist.,	1,500 00	
Henry M. Pitt, Reg. Deeds Middle Dist.,	1,500 00	
Malcolm Douglas, Reg. Deeds South Dist.,	600 00	
George H. Tucker, County Treasurer,	1,500 00	
C. T. Phelps, Just. Dist. Court North Berk.,	1,800 00	
Edwin B. Cady, Cl'k Dist. Court No. Berk.,	1,000 00	
Joseph Tucker, Just. Dist. Court Cen. Berk.,	2,000 00	
Walter B. Smith, Cl'k. Dist. Court, Cen. Berk..	1,000 00	
W. B. Sanford, Just. Dist. Court, So. Berk,,	1,200 00	
D. J. Coleman, Cl'k Dist. Court So. Berk.,	700 00	
N. H. Bixby, Just. Fourth Dist. Court,	1,400 00	
F. H. B. Munson, Cl'k. Fourth Dist. Court,	600 00	
P. H. Casey, Just. Lee Police Court,	1,000 00	
S. G. Tenney, Just. Williamstown Police Court,	600 00	

Not Prescribed by Law.

C. W. Fuller, Master, House of Correction,	$1,000 00	
J. W. Whipple, Deputy Master, House of Correction,	900 00	and board.
J. F. Fuller, Turnkey, House of Correction,	900 00	
F. P. Farrington, Night Officer, House of Correction,	$2.25 per day.	
Mrs. Minnie J. Fuller, Matron, House of Correction,	300 00	
C. W. Strong, Clerical Ass'tant., Clerk's Office,	1,050 00	
David L. Evans, Janitor and Messenger, C. H.,	800 00	
C. L. Frink, Prob. Officer, D. C. N. B.,	600 00	
C. T. Plunkett, Prob. Officer, D. C. C. B.,	720 00	
W. W. Norton, Prob. Officer, D. C. S. B.,	350 00	
Wm. O'Brien, Prob. Officer, Fourth D. Court,	360 00	
J. J. Waddock, Prob. Officer, Lee Police Court,	350 00	
Geo. H. Prindle, Prob. Off., W'mst'n Pol. Court,	100 00	

Assets of the County.

Balance in the Treasury, Dec. 31, 1898,		34,155 93
Court House, (Pittsfield), Land,	$65,000 00	
Building,	150,000 00	
Furniture C. H.,	2,399 00	
Jail and House of Correct'n (Pittsfield), Land,	50,000 00	
Prison Building,	200,000 00	
Shop, engine, boiler, shafting, barns, etc.,	11,000 00	
Furniture, Prison Building,	2,200 00	
Furniture. Sheriff's house,	800 00	
Furniture in District Court Room, No. Adams,	250 00	
Furniture in Court R'm and Reg. Office, Adams,	499 00	
Furniture in Court R'm, Reg. Offi., Gt. Bar'ton,	795 00	
Furniture in Police Court Room, Lee,	78 50	
Interest in Town Building, Gt. Barrington,	10,000 00	
Interest in Town Building, Adams,	10,000 00	
Law Library in Court House, (Pittsfield),	11,000 00	
		514,021 50
		$548,177 43

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LIABILITIES OF THE COUNTY.

OLD COUNTY DEBT.

Note	Salem Savings Bank,	due Nov. 1, 1902, 3 %,	$10,000 00
"	" " "	" Nov. 1, 1904, 3 %,	10,000 00
"	" " "	" Nov. 1, 1905, 3 %,	5,000 00

NEW COUNTY BUILDING DEBT.

Notes,	North Adams Savings Bank,	due Nov. 1, 1903, 4 %,	60,000 00
"	Commonwealth of Mass.,	" Dec. 31, 1900, 4 %,	10,000 00
Note	" " "	" Dec. 31, 1901, 4 %,	5,000 00
"	Chicopee Savings Bank,	" Dec. 31, 1901, 4 %,	5,000 00
"	Berk. Co. Savings Bank,	Demand, 3½ %,	5,000 00
			$110,000 00

WM. P. WOOD, } *County Commissioners.*
W. C. DALZELL, }
H. C. PHELPS, *Spec'l Co. Commissioner.*

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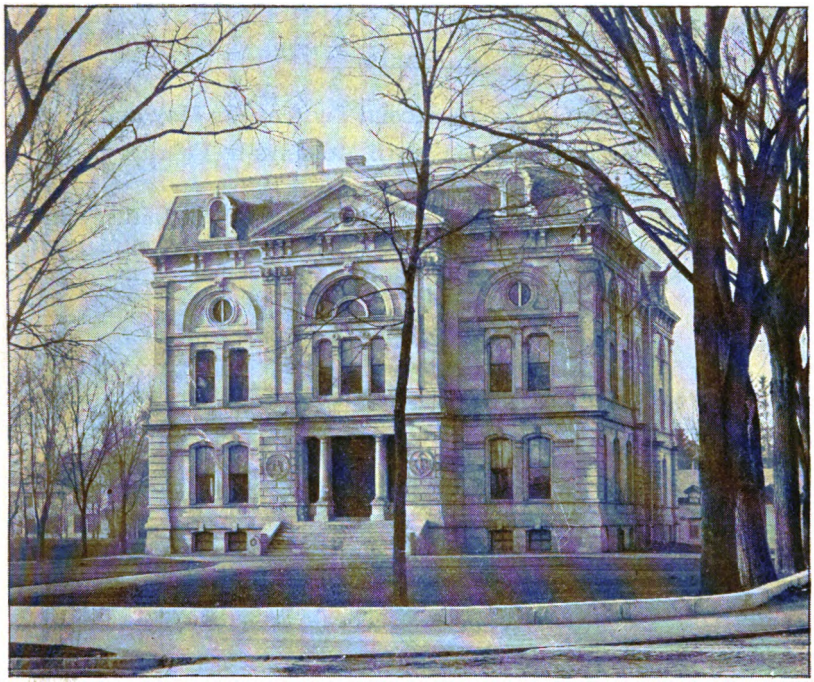

COURT HOUSE, PITTSFIELD.

COUNTY OFFICERS FOR 1900.

Clerk of Courts—Frank H. Cande, Pittsfield.

Registers of Deeds—Arthur W. Safford, North District, office at Adams; Henry M. Pitt, Middle District, office Court House, Pittsfield; Malcolm Douglas, South District, office at Great Barrington.

District Attorney—Charles L. Gardner, Springfield.

Judge of Probate—Edward T. Slocum, Pittsfield.

Register of Probate—Fred R. Shaw, Adams.

County Commissioners—Wm. P. Wood, Pittsfield; Wm. C. Dalzell, Egremont; Frank S. Richardson, North Adams.

Special Commissioners—Henry C. Phelps, Lee; Stephen A. Hickox, Williamstown.

Sheriff—Charles W. Fuller, Pittsfield.

Master House of Correction—Charles W. Fuller, Pittsfield.

Deputy Master H. of C.—J. W. Whipple, Pittsfield.

Treasurer—George H. Tucker, Pittsfield.

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COURTS IN BERKSHIRE COUNTY.

Supreme Judicial Court—Second Tuesdays in May and Sept.

Superior Court (*Civil*)—Fourth Mondays in February, June and October.

Superior Court (*Criminal*)—Second Mondays in January and July, Grand Jury; Third Mondays in January and July, Traverse Jury.

PROBATE COURT.

Pittsfield—First Tuesdays of January, February, March, April, May, June, September, October and December. Third Tuesday in July, and Wednesday after First Monday in November.

Lee—First Wednesday in January, April and October, and Third Wednesday in July.

Adams—First Thursday in January and October; First Wednesday in March, and Third Thursday in July.

Great Barrington—First Wednesday in February, May, September and December.

DISTRICT AND POLICE COURTS.

Northern Berkshire, at North Adams, Carlton T. Phelps, Justice: Wm. H. Woodhead, C. J. Parkhurst, Special Justices; Edwin B. Cady, Clerk.

Central Berkshire, at Pittsfield, Joseph Tucker, Justice; Hiram B. Wellington, Charles L. Hibbard, Special Justices; Walter B. Smith, Clerk.

Southern Berkshire, at Great Barrington, Walter B. Sanford, Justice; J. H. Rowley, Frank H. Wright, Special Justices; D. J. Coleman, Clerk.

Fourth District Court, at Adams, Nelson H. Bixby, Justice; H. L. Harrington, George Z. Dean, Special Justices; F. H. B. Munson, Clerk.

Police Court, Williamstown, Sanborn G. Tenney, Justice; Andrew M. Smith, Henry L. Sabin, Special Justices.

Police Court, Lee, P. H. Casey, Justice; A. B. Clark, Henry C. Phelps, Special Justices.

William C. Spaulding, Trial Justice, West Stockbridge.

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